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# H. CON. RES. 244

Expressing support for the designation of March 20 as a National Day  
of Recognition for Long-Term Care Physicians.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 2, 2010

Mr. GINGREY of Georgia submitted the following concurrent resolution; which  
was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform

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## CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Expressing support for the designation of March 20 as a  
National Day of Recognition for Long-Term Care Physicians.

Whereas a National Day of Recognition for Long-Term Care  
Physicians is designed to honor and recognize physicians  
who care for an ever-growing elderly population in dif-  
ferent settings, including skilled nursing facilities, as-  
sisted living, hospice, continuing care retirement commu-  
nities, post-acute care, home care, and private offices;

Whereas the average long-term care physician has nearly 20  
years of practice experience and dedicates themselves to  
1 or 2 facilities with nearly 100 residents and patients;

Whereas the American Medical Directors Association is the  
professional association of medical directors, attending  
physicians, and others practicing in the long-term con-  
tinuum and is dedicated to excellence in patient care and

provides education, advocacy, information, and professional development to promote the delivery of quality long-term care medicine;

Whereas the American Medical Directors Association would like to honor founder and long-term care physician William A. Dodd, M.D., C.M.D., who was born on March 20, 1921; and

Whereas March 20 would be an appropriate date to designate as a National Day of Recognition for Long-Term Care Physicians: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*  
2       *concurring)*, That Congress—

3               (1) supports the designation of a National Day  
4       of Recognition for Long-Term Care Physicians; and

5               (2) supports the goals and ideals of a National  
6       Day of Recognition for Long-Term Care Physicians.

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